

REMARKS

Claims 1, 3-9, 13-15, 18, 21-25, 28, 32 and 47-52 are pending in this application. Claims 1, 3-9, 13-15, 18, 21-25, and 32 stand rejected. Claims 47-52 have been allowed.

Upon entry of this amendment, claims 1, 3-9, 13-15, 18, 21-25, 28, and 32 will be cancelled and only claims 47-52 will be pending.

Rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph

Claim 32 stands rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, 1<sup>st</sup> paragraph, for lack of enablement. This rejection is obviated by cancellation of claim 32.

Claims 1, 3-9, 13-15, 18, 21-25 and 28 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, 1<sup>st</sup> paragraph, for introducing new matter. This rejection is obviated by cancellation of claims 1, 3-9, 13-15, 18, 21-25, and 28.

Allowed claims 47-52

As stated in the Action mailed November 17, 2006, claims 47-52 are allowed. Applicants have cancelled all non-allowable claims without prejudice and wish to proceed to allowance with claims 47-52.

CONCLUSION

If the undersigned can be of assistance to the examiner in addressing issues to advance the application to allowance, please contact the undersigned at the number set forth below.

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